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Rules re - the administration of Local Funds in Mysore

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To

The Secretary to the
Govt of Fort dep
Dated 13th February 73

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Submits for sanction
a Code of Rules for the
Establishment of
Local Committees for
the administration
of Local Funds in
Mysore

Section LB.
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Foreign Department

13 Feb 73

Camp Coonoor
Nilgiris 17th Commr's Office

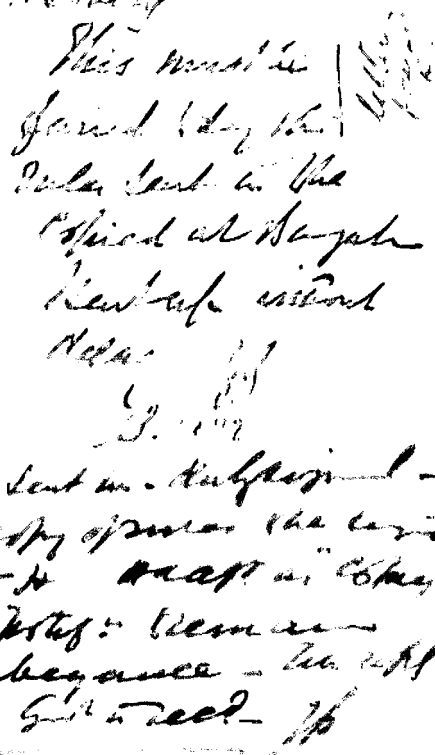
Sir,

I have received & forwarded for the sanction of H.E. the G.G. in Council a Code of Rules for the Establishment of Local Committees for the Administration of Local Funds in Bengal which the Chief Commr desires to introduce with effect from the 1st April next if approved by H.E. in Council.

2. These Rules have been framed in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 12 of the Bombay Local Funds Act III of 1869 with the general concurrence of the

Principals Executive Officers
of the Trust may have to be sued,
but has not been effectively done
Anyone [illegible] to think
it advisable to retain for
them, before, institution the
proceedings of the
Council -

3. The grant of the D.C.
will not exempt the officers
[illegible] of the Trust,
keeping constituted Local Committees and
to systematize the Administration
of these Funds, so as to admit of
the battery being handed over under
due



VERY URGENT.

Rules for the Establishment of Local Committees for the Administration of Local Funds in Mysore.

~~The Rules framed under Section 12 of Local Funds Loans Act, Act III of 1869, as extended to Mysore~~

District Committee

~~The District Local Funds Committee shall consist of~~

1. The Deputy ~~Commr.~~ ~~Superintendent~~ as President
2. The Asstt. ~~Commr.~~ ~~Superintendent~~ at Distt. Head Quarters
3. The Asstt. ~~Commr.~~ ~~Superintendent~~ in permanent charge of Subdivisions.
4. The Executive Engineer.
5. The Amildar of the Distt. Head Quarters Taluk.
6. All Amildars of Taluks to be ex-Officio members.
7. An Inamdar, or holder of an alienated village in the District, to be elected as provided × in Rules ~~XXIX~~ by the holders of alienated villages situated in the District.

I. Committees shall be formed in each District in Mysore for the administration of the Local Funds levied within such Districts, and shall consist of

8. Six proprietors or ~~x~~ holders of land to be appointed by the Collr of the Division.

(a) Any member of the District Local Funds Committee may be removed by ~~the Govt~~ the Govt.

Dr Ch. Comm.

II. The Local Fund revenues shall include the proceeds of the One Anna Cess in settled, and the half anna Cess in unsettled

Local Fund Revenues.

x Talooks, the levy of which has been authorized by Bombay Act III of 1869, which has been extended to Mysore and by the Govt of India, and such other funds as Government have either already made over, or may hereafter be pleased to make over to the Local Committees.

III.

III. ~~Deducted~~ of the proceeds of the one anna and half anna cesses leviable as above, shall be held to belong to the Educational Department for expenditure in the Taluk in which it is levied, and the annual accounts of this portion of the Local Fund Cess shall be incorporated with the Annual General Local Fund Accounts of the District. For the present as the whole cost of the Taluk Educational Establishments is borne by Government, the proceeds of this part of the Fund will be paid into the Treasury, and credited to Government on the adjustment of the general receipts of the Fund ~~for the last year~~

The proportion, as above allotted to Education, will be subject to deduction hereafter if necessary.

IV.

IV. The remaining ~~¾~~ ½ of the one anna and ~~¼~~ ½ anna cesses shall be expended ~~wholly~~ in the Taluk ~~or Subdivision~~ in which ~~they~~ levied exclusively on roads and communications and works subordinate thereto i.e. on Dharmasálás or rest houses, on water supply, and on the plantation of avenues of trees. ~~Such Taluk works shall be constructed by Subdivisional Officers.~~

V. The Local Fund Budget Rules ~~sanctioned by Government~~ shall be carefully attended to, and shall be held to apply to the transactions of the Local Fund Department in Respon-

L.C was agreed at the meeting held on the 7th March 1872 that the money raised in a District or Sub Div^n of a District should be expended wholly within the limits of such District or Sub Div^n for the improvement of the local works and Communications. ~~only~~ made in the case of communication connecting adjacent Taluks or Subdivisions

VI.

VI The District Local Funds Committee shall

Duty of the District Committee ascertain and provide for the requirements of the District with respect to the works and undertakings alluded to in Section IV of Bombay Act III of 1869.

VII It shall also examine and decide upon the estimates and proposals for expenditure forwarded by the Subdivisional Committees, where such exist or by the Talook Amildars and shall likewise regulate the expenditure of Local Funds, subject in all respects to the control and general supervision of the ~~Superintendent~~ of the Division, who may in the exercise of such control, order any expenditure

from

from the Local Funds
~~of the respective Agencies in Lists~~
on Special objects for
which no Specific provision
has been made in the Budget,
such expenditure being met-
by allotments from the
reserve, or re-appropriations
from Budget assignments.

VIII. In case of any difference
of opinion between the
Sub-divisional and District-
Committees the decision shall,
in the first place, rest with
the Deputy ~~Commissioner~~ Superintendent
and President of the District-
Committee, and finally with
the ~~Commissioner~~ Superintendent
of the Division.

IX The District-Com
=mittee shall also com:
=municate with the Distt
Committees in the adjacent
~~Districts~~ Collectorates in view to
secure uniformity and
connection of plan in laying
out roads, &c.

X.

X The Deputy ~~Commissioner~~ as President shall prepare a Statement shewing the net estimated receipts on account of Local Funds available to be budgetted against, and this Statement, together with the estimates and proposals of the Subdivisional Committees where they exist, and the Taluk Amildars, shall be laid before the District Local Funds Committee at a meeting to be convened by the President on or about the 1st September of each year, at a place to be named by him, 15 days' notice being given.

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XI. The vote of the majority of the Committee members shall decide all questions at all meetings of the Committee the President having a casting vote, and the Proceedings at

at this, and every other meeting shall be drawn up at the time, and signed by the presiding Officer

XII. The District Local Funds Committee shall decide at the meeting provided for in Rule X what local works and repairs, and what other works of general utility to the District shall be undertaken, and shall cause a general list to be prepared, shewing the amount proposed to be expended on each subject to the revision provided by the Budget Rules laid down by Govt.

XIII The Committee shall also settle what establishments shall be entertained for the Superintendence and execution of Local Funds works, and dispose of any other business which the

President

President may lay before the Committee.

XIV The general list shall be embodied in the form of a Budget and despatched with the necessary plans and estimates, to the ~~Superintendent~~ of the Division, so as to reach that Officer not later than the 1st October in each year, in order that the Budgets may be scrutinized and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General by the 15th October. The Deputy Accountant General will thereupon compile a general Budget for the Province for submission to the Local Government, at due date, Viz^t. the 31st December.

XV. Extracts from the Budgets submitted by the Committee, shall be forwarded for

for information to each Subdivisional Committee and Taluk Amildar

XVI The Deputy Superintendent as President shall convene a second meeting soon after the 31st July of each year (15 days' notice being given), on which date the Local Funds accounts are closed in the Office of the Accountant General, to examine the accounts, and to note what amount, if any, is available for a Supplementary Budget, after the amount for disbursement in the ordinary annual Budget has been provided for. The Committee shall then decide how the sum available shall be expended, and cause a Supplementary

Budget

Budget to be prepared, forwarding an extract from the same for the information of each sub. divisional Committee and Taluk Amildar.

XVII. This supplementary Budget shall be despatched with the necessary plans and estimates to the ~~Superintendent~~ Divisional of the Division on or before the 20th August for scrutiny and transmission to the Deputy Accountant General. The Deputy Accountant General will thereon despatch a supplementary Budget for the whole Province to the Local Government by the 30th September.

XVIII On receipt of the general Budgets, ordinary

and

and Supplementary, of Local Funds of the Mysore Province, the Deputy ~~Superintendent~~ as President, shall circulate it to all the members of the District Committee for their information and forward an extract to each Subdivisional Committee and Taluk Amildar ⟷ shewing what works, repairs, and establishments, have been sanctioned for the District

XIX For the despatch of the current work of a general nature the Dist. Local Funds Committee will meet twice a year, on or about the 10th January and on or about the 10th July. Questions arising in the interim, shall be disposed of by the circulation of correspondence and minutes.

10th July. Current Work
15 Aug. Supplementary Budget
1 Sept. Year's Budget

As there 3 Meetings come so close together, that of 10th July might be dispensed with. The Committee 15th Aug. might

resolve itself into Current work. The

The President, however is empowered to call a special meeting at any time when occasion may require, by issuing a notice of not less than 15 days to the members to that effect.

15 √XX Sanctions for contracts in connection with Local Funds work shall be given by the authorities and within the limits specified below.

Contracts.

For, and under Rs. 3000, by the President of the District Local Funds Committee.

Above Rupees 3,000, by the ~~Superintendent~~ Commissioner of the Division, but all Local Funds Contracts should be executed in the name, and with the approval of the President of the District Committee

16 √XXI No disbursements whatever

whatever shall be made from
the Local Funds by way
Establishment of remuneration
to any persons
employed on the Deputy
~~Superintendent Collector's~~
Deputy Accountant-General's,
or any other Government
establishment without
the sanction of ~~the Chief Local~~
~~Government~~
previously obtained through
the ~~Superintendent~~ of the
Division and no new appoint-
ment is to be made hereafter
in any Government Office
at the expence of Local
Funds ~~without limitation~~
~~except with the~~
~~Sanction of Government~~
~~previously obtained through~~
~~the Superintendent of the~~
~~Division~~. It should be
understood, however that the
establishment of Overseers

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and other officers in the Department of Public Works do not come within the scope of this rule.

17 XXII No permanent new appointments or additions of Overseers, Clerks, ~~Foremen~~ Harbours &c., shall be created without the sanction of the ~~Superintendent~~ Governor of the Division.

Can the Govt. sanction new appointments with reference to the Estimates?

18 XXIII. In Districts where a Local Funds Engineer has been, or may hereafter be sanctioned, the appointment and dismissal of this Officer shall rest with the District Committee subject to the confirmation of the ~~Superintendent~~ Governor of the Division

Is under Rules Petc. —

19 XXIV. All appointments in the Correspondence,

Account,

Account Public Works Department either under the District or Subdivisional Committee, shall be made by the District Local Funds Committee, subject to the veto of the President. Where the President records his veto, the case shall be submitted with reasons, for the final decision of the ~~Government~~ of the Division.

XXV

Suspension and dismissal of servants.

No servant of the Committee drawing more than 50 Rupees a month shall be dismissed without the consent of a majority of the Committee in meeting assembled the President of the District Committee however, shall have power to suspend any such servant of the

Committee

Committee for misconduct or negligence, pending the question of his dismissal being submitted to the Distt. Committee, which shall be done with as little delay as possible. The President of the District Committee shall also have power to summarily discharge any servant drawing 50 Rupees and under, a month.

Credit Orders.

XXVI At a suitable date before the close of each quarter the President of the District Committee shall prepare a statement shewing the amount required for disbursement in the ensuing quarter, and shall obtain a credit order for that amount from the ~~Superintendent~~ of the

Division

Division

XXVII. Every Amildar shall visit at least once a quarter, such works in progress on his Talook, as may be entrusted for execution to the Subdivisional Committee or to him, and make a direct report on them to the Asstt ~~Collector~~, who is President of the Subdivisional Committee, or to the President of the District Committee, if his Talook is not included in any subdivision.

21 XXVIII. The election of Inamdars for the District Committee, shall be conducted as follows:-

Election of Inámdars to District Committee.

The Deputy ~~Collector~~ as President, shall forward a notice to every Inámdar in the District (entered in

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the Government books as holder of an alienated village, or to his manager, or agent, requiring him before a fixed date, which shall not be less than one month from the date of the notice to elect an Inamdar of the District as a Member of the District Local Fund Committee

The electors shall give their votes in writing, to be delivered by post or otherwise to the Deputy ~~Superintendent~~ Collector and President before the date fixed. The person who shall have received the most votes shall (unless any sufficient reason exists for excluding him), be declared elected and his name ~~is~~ forwarded by the President for insertion in the ~~Government~~ Local Gazette.

In the event of the Inamdars not making a return

by

by the time specified in the notice, the President of the District Local Funds Committee may nominate.

22 XXIX. The President of the District Local Funds Administration Report. Committee shall annually in the month of April, after receiving the reports of the Taluk Committees provided for in Rule XXXIX, compile a concise report of the general administration of the Local Funds of his District, and this report shall, after being discussed at a general meeting, be forwarded through the ~~Superintendent of the Division~~ Collector of the Division to the Government. This report shall include a statement of the year's receipts and disbursements, and copies of it shall be printed in English and the vernacular, and distributed among the members of the District

+ Taluk Committees
+ the Chief Court.

District and Subdivisional Committees. a Copy being furnish=ed to each ~~of the~~ vernacular newspapers ~~there circulating~~

XXX. Where Subdivisions exist, there shall be a Subdivisional Committee for each such Subdivision, to assist the ~~Sub Divisional Officer~~ ~~Taluk~~ Committee. District Committee by advice and supervising such works as may be entrusted to them. It shall consist of -

1. The Assistt ~~Collector~~ in charge of the Subdivision
2. The Amildar of each Taluk in the Subdivision.
3. An Officer of the Public Works Department employed in the Subdivision of not lower grade than a 1st Grade Overseer
4. An Inamdar or holder of an alienated

Village

village in the Subdivision, to be elected by the holders of alienated villages situated in the Subdivision, in the manner provided for the election of an Inamdar member of the District Committee in Rule XXIX, the President of the Subdivisional Committee being substituted for the President of the Distt. Committee, and notice of 20 days for the Subdivision, being substituted for a notice of one month provided for the larger area of the Districts.

5. Three proprietors or holders of land in the Subdivision nominated by the Deputy ~~Superintendent~~, subject to the ~~Revenue Commissioner's~~ approval of the Local Division (Any member of the Subdivisional Committee may be removed by the ~~Collector~~, subject to the approval of the ~~Superintendent~~ of the Division).

Duty of ~~Taluk~~ Sub Divisional Committee.

XXXI. The duty of the Sub-divisional Committee ~~shall~~ be to ascertain the local works required in the several Taluks of the Sub-division, and to bring them to the notice of the District Committee, in order that they may be duly considered with reference to the total funds available for expenditure in the ~~District~~ Sub division. It shall also be the duty of the Sub divisional Committee to supervise the construction of such works, as the District Committee may arrange with it, should be undertaken by it. But all the Local fund contracts must be executed in the name, and with the approval of the President of the District Committee, as provided in Rule XX.

XXXII. The Assistant ~~Superintendent~~ as President of the Sub-divisional Committee shall, before the 10th August in each year

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year, convene a meeting of the Subdivisional Committee at some place in the Subdivision to be appointed by him, 10 days' notice being given, and the President of the District Committee shall furnish an Estimate of the amount of the Local Funds derived from the Subdivision each Taluk, which can be budgetted against.-

XXXIII. The vote of the majority shall decide all questions, the President having a casting vote, and the proceedings at this, and every other Committee shall be signed by the presiding Officer.

XXXIV. The Committee shall decide on the requirements of each Taluk of the Subdivision and shall cause a list of proposals with rough Estimates to be prepared for submission to the District Local Funds Committee by the President of the Subdivisional

Committee

Committee in the form prescribed by the District Committee, so that the Taluk lists may be duly considered for incorporation in the District Budget, before its annual meeting about the 1st September.-

XXXV. The President may cause the Subdivisional Committee to assemble at any time and place, when occasion may require by issuing a ten days' notice to the members to that effect.-

XXXVI. The Subdivisional Committee on receipt of the extract from the Government Budgets of Local Funds, will provide for the execution of such works in each taluk, as the District Committee shall arrange with the Subdivisional Committee for the latter to superintend under Rule XXXII and shall be empowered to decide whether the works shall be done departmentally or by Contract.-

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Any member of the Subdivisional Committee may inspect any of these works at any time, and forward in writing to the President of the Sub-divisional Committee any remarks he may wish to make regarding it.

XXXVII Correspondence between the District and Subdivisional Committees shall ordinarily be conducted through their Presidents. On such matters of executive detail as cannot be disposed of at the meetings of Committees, the orders of the President shall be sufficient.

Correspondence between District and Sub Division Committees.

23 XXXVIII. A detail Report of the Local Fund administration of each Taluk shall be annually submitted by the President of the Subdivisional Committee or the Taluk and/or where the Taluk is not included in any subdivision to the District Local Fund Committee, on such date as may be fixed by the latter, explaining what

what has been done during the year, and suggesting what is required in future.—

XXXIX.— Where a Talook is not included in any Subdivision it will be the duty of the Talook Amildar to perform the work laid down for the Subdivisional Committee in ~~Sections 32, 35 and 37~~ Thro Rules under the direction of the President of the district Committee.—

XL. It shall be competent to the Chief Mot. to make such further additions to these Rules, as he may from time to time deem necessary.—

(7) No. 1209

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From,
The Under Secretary to the
Government of India

To,
The Chief Commissioner
of Mysore

Foreign Dept
General

Dy Fort William the 6th June 1874

Sir

In returning the amended Draft Rules for the Establishment of Local Committees for the administration of Local Funds in Mysore forwarded with your Demi-official dated 12th April last I am directed to state that His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council sanctions those Rules with the alterations noted below.

In Rule III the sentence beginning with "In each Taluq and ending with "purpose

of

of these Rules" has been struck out.

In the second paragraph of Rule XI the words "as already described" appear superfluous and have been expunged.

A slight alteration has also been made in the concluding portion of Rule X.

In Rule XII the allusion to Rule XX should be omitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obt. Servt.

Maddock

Under Secretary to the
Govt of India.

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x 9 M.C.

12.6.73 —

The Rules of the Municipal Court shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the Municipal Court Room and shall be kept so posted at all times.

Judge.

13/6/73

Received

15/6/73

Attested

15/6/74.

15/6/74

No 110

Hotspur
4th July 1874

Under the authority conveyed in the Letter dated from the Treasury Office dated* in the margin. The following Orders for the Establishment of Local Committees for the Distribution of Local Funds in Hungary, which have been sanctioned by His Excellency and Honorable Friends in Council, with Instructions to be observed in and from the 1st day of October next, and the Expenses incurred will be taken in the Estimates for the Year ending 31st March 1875

* No 1209 & 2/-
6th June 1874

of the Committee
in such district.

2. Will expenses
to be provided in
Sec VI of the Order
for the expenses
of a minimum
proportion of the
Local Govt
for Educational
purposes, to change
with the actual
needs in the specific
allotment for this
purpose, say 24 per
cent of the total
budgetary from
the Govt.

M. Kung

Rec'd
4.7.74

Thus in the Orig[l] returned to Fort. Office
(Amended as Sug-
-gested by the
Legislative Dept[t]

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Rules for the Establishment of Local Committees for the Administration of Local Funds in Mysore.

I. A District Committee shall be formed in each district in Mysore, for the administration of the Local Funds levied within each District and placed at the disposal of such Committee and shall consist of –

1 The Deputy Commissioner President
2 The Asstt Commissioner at District Head Quarter
3 The Asstt Commissioners in charge of Sub-Divisions
4 The Executive Engineer
5. The Amildars of the Taluks comprised within the District

The above are to be ex-officio members.

6. An inamdar or holder of an alienated village in the District to be elected as provided for in Rule XIX by the holders of alienated villages in the District.
7. Six proprietors or holders of land to be appointed by the Commissioner of the Division

II Any member of a District Committee may be removed by the Chief Commissioner

III Each District Committee shall sue and be sued in the name of the President by the description of the "President of the District Committee for the Local Funds of the District of ~~in such manner as described in the comm~~ of that".

Any deed, contract or instrument so made on behalf of the said Committee, shall be executed by the President of the Committee

IV The local funds at the disposal of a District Committee shall include the proceeds of the one anna cess in settled and the half anna cess in unsettled taluks on every rupee

of

* ~~In Competent to hold property acquire and necessary to carry the same and to enter into all necessary Con- tract for the purposes of these Rules~~

of land revenue, and such other funds as Govt may be pleased to make over to see Committee for the purposes of these rules.

V The duties of a District Committee shall be to ascertain and, subject to the provisions of Rule VI following, to provide, so far as the means at its disposal will allow, for the requirements of the District with respect to works and undertakings calculated to promote the public health and convenience, such as hospitals, dispensaries, roads, dharmasalas, markets and wells, and other works for improving the water supply.

VI The funds at the disposal of a District Committee shall be spent exclusively in the taluks in which they are collected. One-fifth of the local fund cesses ~~as already described~~ shall always be assigned to the Educational Department for expenditure in the taluk in which the same is levied, and the remainder shall be spent exclusively upon roads and communications and works subordinate thereto, i.e. dharmasalas or rest-houses, road-side water supply and the plantation of road-side avenues of trees, and in aid of the establishment of Charitable dispensaries. Provided however that an exception to this rule may be made in the case of communications connecting adjacent taluks, and that the proportion allotted to Education may be altered at any time by the Chief Commissioner.

VII A District Committee shall be subordinate to, and under the control of, the Commissr. of the Division, who may in the exercise of such control order any expenditure on special objects of the nature above described from funds that may not have been appropriated by the District Committee under Rule X, or from savings in the funds appropriated.

VIII

VIII On or before the 1st September in each year the Taluk Amildars shall prepare and submit to the District Committees to which they are respectively subordinate, a statement of projects with estimates for the same which may be proposed to be executed in the year commencing 1st April following.

~~IX~~ The Deputy Commissioner as President of the District Committee shall annually, on or before the 1st October, prepare a statement shewing the estimated revenue on account of local funds for the ensuing year commencing 1st April following, and this statement, together with the proposals and estimates required in the preceding rule, shall be laid before the District Committee at a meeting to be convened by the President on or about the 1st October of each year at a place named by him, 15 days notice of such intended meeting being given.

X The district Committee shall decide at the meeting provided for in Rule IX, what local works and repairs, and what other works of general utility to the District, whether those proposed by the Taluk Amildars or others, shall be undertaken and shall cause a general list to be prepared shewing the amount proposed to be expended on each work. The statement of estimated receipts and the list of proposed works thus adopted by the District Committee shall be forwarded ~~through the Commissioner of the Division subordinate to them~~ for approval and transmission for the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

~~XI~~ The vote of the majority of the members present at a meeting of a District Committee shall decide all questions before such meeting. In the event of an equal division of votes the President shall have a casting vote. The proceedings of

every

every meeting shall be drawn up at the time and signed by the President, and a copy forwarded through the Commissioner of the Division, for the information of the Chief Commissioner. No business shall be transacted unless at least three members including the President are present. In the absence of the President, one of the members shall be elected President of the meeting by the members present.

XII For the despatch of the current work of a general nature, and for the disposal of any other business which may be brought forward by the President or any other member, a District Committee shall hold meetings at least twice a year, besides those provided for in Rules VIII, IX and XXI, on or about such dates as may be fixed by the Chief Commissioner.

The President of a District Committee is, however, competent to call a special meeting of the Committee at any time by issuing a notice of not less than 15 days to the members to that effect.

XIII The President of a District Committee may give out to be executed by contract, local fund works, whose estimated cost does not exceed Rs. 3000 each. But for works exceeding that amount, the power of granting contracts therefor shall vest in the Commissioner of the Division.

XIV. A District Committee shall be competent to entertain what temporary establishments may seem to it necessary for the execution of local fund works sanctioned in the District. But it shall not be competent to create any permanent new appointments without the previous sanction of the Commissioner of the Division.

XV. No disbursements whatever shall be made from the local funds by way of remuneration to any persons employed in any Government establishment without the sanction of the Chief Commissioner previously obtained through the Commissioner of the Division.

And

And no new appointments shall be created in any Government office at the sacrifice of local funds without similar sanction. The establishment of Overseers and other Officers in the Department of Public Works does not come within the scope of this Rule.

XVI. In Districts where a Local Fund Engineer has been or may hereafter be sanctioned the appointment and dismissal of this Officer will rest with the Commissioner of the Division, but subject to the confirmation in either case of the Chief Commissioner.

XVII. All appointments in the Correspondence Account and Public Works Department under a District Committee shall be made by such Committee, subject to the veto of the President of that Committee. Where the President may record his veto, the case shall be submitted with reasons for the final decision of the Commissioner of the Division.

XVIII. No servant of a District Committee drawing more than Rs. 50 a month, shall be dismissed without the consent, in meeting assembled, of the majority of the District Committee. The President of a District Committee shall be competent to suspend any such servant for misconduct or negligence, pending the question of his dismissal being submitted [which shall be done with as little delay as possible] to the District Committee. The President of a District Committee shall, however, be competent to dismiss summarily any servant of the Committee drawing 60 Rs. or less a month.

XIX. The election of inamdars as members for a District Committee shall be conducted as follows:-

The President of the District Committee shall forward a notice to every inamdar in the District [entered in the Government books as holder of an alienated village] or in his absence, to his manager or Agent, requiring the inamdar before a fixed date which

shall

shall not be earlier than one month from the date of the notice, to elect an inamdar of the District as a member for the District Committee. The electors shall give the votes in writing to be delivered by post or otherwise to the President of the District Committee before the date fixed. The person who shall have received the largest number of votes shall [unless the Chief Commissioner sees sufficient reason for excluding him] be declared elected, and his name shall be forwarded by the President for insertion in the local Gazette. In the event of the inamdars not making a return by the time specified in the notice, the Deputy Commissioner shall appoint.

XX A detailed report of the local funds administration in each taluk shall be annually submitted by the Amildar of such taluk to the President of the District Committee in or about the 1st week in April.-

The report shall explain what was done during the year under review, or what may be required in future.

XXI The President of the District Committee shall, after receiving the reports provided for in Rule XX preceding, compile a concise report of the general administration of the local funds of his District, and this report, after being discussed at a general meeting of the District Committee to be convened before the end of April in each year, shall be forwarded for submission to the Chief Commissioner through the Commissioner of the Division. This report shall include a statement of the year's receipts and disbursements.

XXII. The Chief Commissioner may frame such

further

further Rules not inconsistent with these Rules, for the guidance of District Committees, as he may from time to time deem necessary Provided that nothing in the foregoing Rules shall be held to modify or interfere with the existing control exercised by the Chief Commissioner over the local funds of the Province.

~~Sd/- J. S. F. Mackenzie~~
~~Offg. Secy.~~ 3

True Copy /
H. A. Cooke
Registrar Foreign Department

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For

The Secy. to the
Govt. of India
Foreign Departt.
Calcutta

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Dated 22d July/74.
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In adherence to letter
No. 1209 Q. of 6th Ultimo, submits
a printed Copy of the Chief
Commissioner's Notification
regarding the establishment
of Local Committees for the
administration of Local Funds
in Mysore.

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